# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
# LOK SABHA

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NATIONAL CURRICULUM FRAMEWORK FOR SECONDARY EDUCATION
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**Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

(a) whether the Curriculum Framework was put or is proposed to be put before the Central Advisory Board on Education (CABE);

(b) if so, the main decisions/findings of the CABE;

(c) if the curriculum Framework is not put or is not proposed to be put, reasons therefore; and

(d) the reaction of the Government/NCERT thereto?

## Answer

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI)

Ach. Target (a) to (d): The National Council of Educational Research & Training (NCERT) has finalized theNational Curriculum Framework for School Education afterholding extensive multilevel consultations throughout the country. The document was also placed before the General Body of the NCERT which has a numberof state ministers of education as its members. This body discussed the Framework. The document could not be placed before the CABE as it wasnot re-constituted after expiry of its term in 1994.